



## JANUARY COURT.

About 1,800 Cattle On the Market--Trade Was Brisk and Prices Strong.

About 1,800 cattle on the market. With a few exceptions the quality was medium. Trade was good and prices strong. The best 1,000-lb. steers sold at \$5.55, but very few cattle sold above 5 cents. Yearlings sold at 4 1/2 to 5c; heifers at 4c to \$4.60 for some fat stuff; bulls at 4c.

Fair sized crowd at the pens and buyers were here from all the surrounding counties, and they bought freely. It was so cold we only caught a few sales, but they will show what the market was.

### SALES.

Sam Wheeler sold a yoke of 2,750-lb. oxen to Dave Fox at 54c. John Baker sold 12 1050-lb. steers to Lem Tipton at \$5.55. Same party sold a bunch of 500-lb. heifers to Ed Dean, of Clark, at \$4.25.

Carl Trimble sold 15 700-lb. steers to Ed Young at 5c.

J. M. Rose sold 20 600-lb. steers to E. D. Bell, of Paris, at 5c.

Chas. McDonald bought a bunch of 900-lb. steers of Geo. Wireman at 5c.

J. H. Patrick sold 12 650-lb. steers to Douglas Day at 5c.

Thos. Fitzpatrick bought a bunch of 850-lb. steers of J. H. Patrick at 5 cents.

Hughes and Murphy sold 6 900-lb. steers to A. S. Hunt at 5 cents. Same party sold a bunch of 900-lb. steers to D. C. Cleveland, of Cynthiana, at 4 1/2 cents.

A few mules on the market, but we did not hear of any sales. The extreme cold weather seemed to paralyze the mule trade.

Start the new year right by getting your meats and groceries at Vanarsdell's.

### Odd Fellows Banquet.

The local lodge of Independent Order of Odd Fellows held their annual banquet last Wednesday night at their rooms in the Masonic Temple. The members of the lodge, with their wives and friends, listened to an able address by Hon. W. J. Hobbs, of Lexington, after which they were served with an elegant luncheon by the ladies of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church, who were given the contract to furnish same. The menu consisted of old ham, boiled turkey with dressing, fruit salad, potato chips, hot rolls and coffee, ice cream and cake.

Toasts were responded to by Dr. W. R. Thompson, W. H. Strossman, Jr., Prof. M. J. Goodwin, Rev. Kennard and other members of the lodge.

Large line of postal cards, 1c each. Washington's birthday and Valentine cards. The Fair.

### Buys Residence.

Mr. Allen Prewitt has purchased through the real estate agents, Hadden & Son, the property of Rich Wilson on Clay street, at private figures.

## RANKS FIRST.

Latest Insurance Reports Just Issued Places Mt. Sterling at Top of List.

Mt. Sterling, though known as the best town in the State of Kentucky, has, through the general agency of H. G. Hoffman, of the State Mutual Life Assurance Co., of Massachusetts, attained a national reputation by that agency leading all of that company's general agencies during the month of December, 1911. Not only that record, but the business written being 299 per cent. of the business allotted them that month by the company.

During the year Mr. R. L. Coleman, special agent of the company from the above office, gained the distinction of standing fifth among the soliciting agents in the United States for the year 1911; first in the State of Kentucky and for the month of December second throughout the United States.

To more thoroughly appreciate this standing by this agency it must be understood that a general agency of a company is, as a rule, only located in the cities such as New York, Chicago, Cleveland, etc., etc.

We tender our congratulations and, as heretofore expressed in these columns, our best wishes for our (both of the managing editors having the pleasure of being insured in this company) continued success at this "Blue Grass" general agency of this grand, old company.

Cut Price Sale now going on. W. H. Berry & Co.

### Sell Valuable Horses.

Mr. Arrington Johnson, of the Emerald Chief Stock Farm, left Saturday for Los Angeles, Cal., where he goes to deliver to Mr. R. C. Gills two valuable pure bred horses which the latter purchased at Emerald Chief Farm a short time ago. The horses were Peter Rabbitt, a three-year-old, by Golden King out of a mare by Bourbon Chief, and a very handsome filly by Golden King, dam by Red Cloud. The horses were shipped by express. Mr. Gills made a strong effort to purchase Young Bill, the sensational young harness stallion. Mr. Johnson will be gone to California about one month.

Fresh oysters received daily at Vanarsdell's.

### Peculiar Accident.

One night last week while the ground was quite slippery, Mr. Forrest Lockridge, while walking in the yard back of his residence, slipped and fell, his mouth striking the clothes line and sticking to it. He seemed to have slid down the line until his mouth struck a place where two wires were joined together, cutting his mouth so seriously that a doctor had to be called and several stitches taken. Mr. Lockridge suffered a great deal at the time, but is getting along as well as could be expected.

## EXTREME COLD WAVE

Was Experienced in This County During the Past Week--Heavy Snow On the Ground.

The past week has been one of the coldest experienced in this section for many years, the thermometer hovering around the zero mark all week. Saturday morning it registered 8 below. On Thursday snow fell to the depth of about 8 inches and since then sleigh riding has been much in evidence.

Live stock has suffered intensely and many lambs were frozen, as well as hundreds of pigs and chickens. The forecast for the week is for continued cold weather.

Yesterday (Tuesday) morning was the coldest of the year, the Government thermometer in this city registering 13 1/2 below.

There has been very little doing in the local tobacco market. A. R. Robertson having purchased a few crops at about 10 cents. A few other crops were sold to out-of-town buyers. Kirkpatrick & Clay have not yet purchased any of the weed, but it is expected they will soon commence buying.

The new loose leaf tobacco warehouse has not yet opened for business and it is not expected it will until the weather breaks.

Start the new year by buying your meats at Greenwade's.

### Mrs. Reid's Entertainment.

The date of Mrs. Reid's Delsarte entertainment for the benefit of the M. C. Church has been set for Tuesday evening, Jan. 30, at Tabb's Opera House.

From the press reports from other towns and cities this promises to be one of the best entertainments Mt. Sterling has ever had.

### FROM THE PRESS.

Mrs. Reid's Delsarte entertainment was pronounced one of the most enjoyable affairs of its kind ever presented on a Lexington stage.—Lexington Leader.

Mrs. Reid's entertainment is new and novel. Her drills are the most beautiful we have ever seen. Frankfort, (Ky.) Daily Call.

Never in the history of Winchester has an entertainment been received with more enthusiasm than was the Delsarte by Mrs. Reid's class at the Opera House last evening.—Winchester News.

Mrs. Reid's entertainment was decidedly the best ever given in Bowling Green.—Park City Daily News.

The same program will be given here by a large number of Mt. Sterling's most attractive and talented young people. They will meet at Trimble's Hall to begin drilling today, Wednesday afternoon, the children to come at 2:30, the girls, from 13 to 16 years of age, at 3, and the young ladies at 3:30. All those who are asked to take part will please come at their respective times. The young men and boys will be notified later.

### Resigns Position.

Frank Wyatt has resigned his position at Chenault & O'Rear's to take effect as soon as a successor can be found. Mr. Wyatt has accepted the position of individual bookkeeper at the Mt. Sterling National Bank in place of George W. Anderson, Jr. Mr. Wyatt is a splendid young business man, thoroughly competent to hold the position.

### Nose Frost Bitten.

While coming from his home on North Maysville street to his office Mr. R. G. Kern had his nose frost bitten Tuesday morning owing to the severe cold.

## CIRCUIT COURT

Convened Here Monday Morning With Hon. J. M. Benton, of Winchester, Presiding.

Circuit Court convened here Monday morning with Hon. J. M. Benton, of Winchester, presiding, owing to the death of Judge Young's little son. The Grand Jury received instructions and court then adjourned until Wednesday morning. The docket is a very light one and it is thought that court will not last over a week, the extreme cold weather and heavy snow making it nearly impossible for witnesses to get to the city.

### GRAND JURY.

The grand jury met Monday morning and after organizing, adjourned until Wednesday. The following gentlemen compose the grand jury:

Messrs. J. M. Adamson, Ray Moss, R. C. Lloyd, Morton Ramey, Jas. Wilson, C. C. Chenault, Jas. Elam, Ed Clay, Jas. Davis, John Peggs, E. W. Hefflin. Capt. C. H. Petry was made foreman.

We are unable to give petit jury as same had not been made up by the Sheriff.

### Fair Dope.

At the meeting of the Montgomery County Fair Association to be held Wednesday it is rumored that Mr. C. G. Thompson will be elected President and W. C. Hamilton, Secretary. Mr. J. R. Magowan, who has been President since the organization of the association, owing to his extensive trotting horse interest tendered his resignation some months ago. Mr. Magowan made a splendid official, and while his friends regretted his retirement, they are glad of the fact that he will be succeeded by such an efficient man as Mr. Thompson. Mr. W. C. Hamilton had decided that he would not stand for re-election as Secretary, but owing to the number of requests from the stockholders, as well as many citizens interested in the welfare of the association, he was persuaded to again accept the position he has so credibly filled in the past.

Messrs. R. D. Barnes, W. R. Thompson, J. S. Frazer, J. G. Winn, W. S. Lloyd, J. O. Greene, and R. B. Young will be selected as Vice Presidents.

The fair will be held in July this year and will begin Tuesday, July 16, and be held five days. The association has already begun making plans to make the coming fair the largest and best fair held in this section of the State.

Country sparerebs at Vanarsdell's today.

### Judge Young's Son Dead.

William, the five-year-old son of Judge and Mrs. Allie W. Young, died at their home in Morehead, Sunday night, after a brief illness of pneumonia. The burial took place Tuesday morning. The child was exceptionally bright for one of his years, and the many friends of the heart-broken parents join us in extending their deepest sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

### For Sale Cheap.

One Mahogany Piano, good as new; 1 set of dining room furniture—chairs, buffet and table; 1 refrigerator; carpets, odd chairs, and many other things too numerous to mention. H. P. Reid.

Lost.—Buggy taken from Trimble's lot on East Main street Saturday before Christmas. Liberal reward for return to Joseph Hart.

## JESSE R. HAINLINE

Prominent Saloonist of This City Dies After a Short Illness of Rheumatism.

Mr. Jesse R. Hainline, a prominent saloonist of this city on South Maysville street, died at his room late Saturday night, after a brief illness with rheumatism. Mr. Hainline had not been well for some time, but had only been confined to his bed for a short while. He was 49 years of age and had lived in this city all of his life, during which time he had made many friends who will learn with regret of his death.

He is survived by his aged mother, one brother, Mr. M. R. Hainline and sister, Mrs. J. P. Sullivan, and one son, Jesse Hainline, all of this city.

### To Join Grand Circuit.

It is understood that the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders Association will accept the invitation to join the Grand Circuit and that the meeting to be held this year will be under its auspices.

It is also thought that the Kentucky Futurity will be conditioned for three divisions instead of two, with the aggregate value about \$30,000, the three-year-olds to trot under the two-in-three instead of three-in-five plan.

The dates for the meeting this year will be October 8 to 19. It is not expected that there will be any change in the present officers, other than the naming of William Williams as secretary, he now being the acting secretary.

New line of 10c enamel ware at The Fair.

### W. A. Beatty With Herald.

Mr. W. A. Beatty, former editor of the Winchester News, has been selected as advertising manager of the Lexington Herald to succeed Mr. G. H. Pearsall. Mr. Beatty was formerly connected with the Herald and is a newspaper man of much ability and is sure to be a valuable asset to this splendid paper.

Best steaks, roasts and chops at Vanarsdell's.

### Found Dead.

Miss Lucy Benton was found dead at her home Sunday morning. Deceased had been a sufferer from tuberculosis for several years. She was a prominent church worker and was a young woman of culture and refinement. She was a niece of Norval T. Benton, formerly of this city, but now located at Winchester.

### Sets Dog Afire.

A young negro by the name of August Hadrick one day last week poured coal oil on a dog and set fire to him. The dog ran under the tobacco barn of Kirkpatrick & Clay on the C. & O. railway and but for being discovered at once would have set fire to the barn. The negro was arrested and at his trial was given \$20 and cost.

## JOHN ADAMS

Ordered Returned to West Virginia By Governor James B. McCreary.

Some months ago the authorities of West Virginia sought to secure John Adams, of this county, on the charge of obtaining property by false pretenses. Adams swore out a writ of habeas corpus, but finally abandoned this and endeavored to have the Governor refuse to honor the requisition. Governor Willson did not act upon the case before retiring, and on Friday Governor McCreary heard the parties and honored the requisition. Warrant was issued for Adams, but as we go to press he has not yet been arrested.

Buckwheat flour and pure maple syrup at Vanarsdell's.

### Judge Russell Mann Dead.

Judge Russell Mann, aged 71 years, died at his home in Paris last week of general debility. He had been in declining health for about a year, but went to his law office occasionally until about three months ago.

Judge Mann was a Confederate veteran, and at the time of his death was commander of the Paris camp of veterans. He attended the ceremonies of the unveiling of John Morgan statue in Lexington, and, though very feeble, declined to ride in a carriage, saying, "I want to walk with the boys."

During the war he enlisted in the famous Ninth Kentucky Cavalry, under Morgan, which was commanded by Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge, and was a member of Company C, which was formed and commanded by Captain Lawrence Jones, and afterward by Captain Ed Taylor. He proved himself a brave soldier in many engagements.

Cheapest place in town for candies, nuts, oranges and apples for cash. Greenwade's.

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As we have an over supply of hogs and must sell pork, cash 12 1/2c at Greenwade's.

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